

**PERCENTAGE CHANGE IN COUNTY POPULATIONS 2000 THROUGH 2002
RANKED BY DESCENDING ORDER OF INCREASE**

Michigan		1.13%			
Livingston County		7.59%	Charlevoix County		1.13%
Benzie County		5.13%	Hillsdale County		0.97%
Grand Traverse County		4.65%	Wexford County		0.96%
Otsego County		3.67%	Chippewa County		0.92%
Washtenaw County		3.55%	Muskegon County		0.92%
Allegan County		3.47%	Branch County		0.88%
Lapeer County		3.27%	Ingham County		0.73%
Missaukee County		3.26%	Oakland County		0.72%
Crawford County		3.23%	Shiawassee County		0.61%
Ottawa County		3.19%	Ogemaw County		0.52%
Antrim County		3.02%	Cass County		0.35%
Clinton County		2.96%	Oscoda County		0.33%
Oceana County		2.89%	Calhoun County		0.28%
Leelanau County		2.86%	Gogebic County		0.21%
Kalkaska County		2.85%	Gratiot County		0.19%
Emmet County		2.84%	Luce County		0.04%
Gladwin County		2.77%	Saginaw County		0.02%
Macomb County		2.59%	Sanilac County		-0.03%
Lake County		2.56%	Tuscola County		-0.03%
Newaygo County		2.38%	St. Joseph County		-0.09%
Montmorency County		2.38%	Berrien County		-0.10%
Kent County		2.37%	Houghton County		-0.37%
Cheboygan County		2.36%	Bay County		-0.44%
Ionia County		2.31%	Marquette County		-0.45%
Monroe County		2.27%	Delta County		-0.48%
Manistee County		2.26%	Arenac County		-0.49%
Mecosta County		2.25%	Dickinson County		-0.54%
Mason County		2.14%	Baraga County		-0.59%
St. Clair County		2.12%	Presque Isle County		-0.63%
Barry County		2.09%	Alger County		-0.67%
Montcalm County		1.88%	Wayne County		-0.76%
Eaton County		1.87%	Menominee County		-0.86%
Isabella County		1.85%	Alpena County		-0.92%
Jackson County		1.61%	Iosco County		-1.32%
Midland County		1.50%	Schoolcraft County		-1.40%
Clare County		1.39%	Ontonagon County		-1.47%
Roscommon County		1.37%	Huron County		-1.82%
Osceola County		1.31%	Alcona County		-2.25%
Van Buren County		1.27%	Iron County		-3.06%
Lenawee County		1.27%	Mackinac County		-3.67%
Genesee County		1.21%	Keweenaw County		-4.22%
Kalamazoo County		1.20%			

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census and Michigan Department of Management and Budget,
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